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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Date: February 16, 1999

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of
inventor(s): Mary Katherine Robinson, Colleen Marie Kramer, and Michael Glass

For (title): CRUNCHY CHEWING GUM

Which is a:

parent
 continuation
 continuation-in-part
 divisional

pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)

This application claims benefit

pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 of prior U.S. application

Serial No.: 08/806,969 Filed: February 26, 1997

pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of prior U.S. application

Serial No.: Filed:

pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) of prior foreign application

filed _____ in _____ as application no. _____

A certified copy of the original foreign application,
specification and drawings

Enclosed please find:

1. **SPECIFICATION INCLUDING CLAIMS**

This application includes:

____ Pages of Specification
____ Pages of Abstract
____ Pages of Claims
____ Sheets of Drawing figures

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CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.10

I hereby certify that this Application Transmittal and the documents referred
to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal
Service on this Date 2/16/99, 1999, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail
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2. [X] AMENDMENTS

[] A preliminary amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121 is attached.

[X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This is a [] continuation
[] continuation-in-part
[X] divisional

of copending application Serial No. 08/806,969
filed on February 26, 1997

[] Amend specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application claims priority to provisional application

Serial No.:
Filed:

[X] Amendments to claims:

[X] Amend the claims by deleting claims 1-22.

[] Amend the claims by adding new claims set forth in the preliminary amendment.

3. [] COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

[] Enclosed

[] Not enclosed. This application is made by a person authorized pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.41(c) on behalf of all of the above-named inventors. The declaration or oath, along with the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) will be filed subsequently.

4. [] DRAWINGS

Drawings pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.81.

[] formal.
[] informal.

5. FILING FEE

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	BASIC FEE
Total Claims	<u>18</u>	<u>- 20 = 0</u> x	\$ 22.00=	-0-
Independent Claims	<u>2</u>	<u>- 3 = 0</u> x	\$ 82.00=	-0-
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any			\$270.00=	-----
				TOTAL \$760.00

[] Processing and retention fee
(37 C.F.R. §§ 1.53(d) and 1.21(1))

TOTAL FEES \$760.00

No filing fee is to be paid at this time. The filing fee and the surcharge required by 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) will be paid subsequently.

Charge Deposit Account 23-0453 in the amount of \$ 760.00 (total fees) A triplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.

6. **AN ASSIGNMENT** of this invention to Warner-Lambert Company, 201 Tabor Road, Morris Plains, New Jersey 07950:

is enclosed.

will follow.

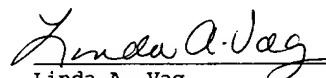
7. AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees required during the entire pendency of this application except the issue fee to Deposit Account 23-0453.

8. INSTRUCTIONS AS TO OVERPAYMENT

Credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 23-0453.

Respectfully submitted,



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